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length, as to the points upon which the case is made to turn. Such cases are valuable to the profession throughout the country. There are many cases of this character in the present volume, among which we would refer to *Curtiss vs. Brown*, p. 201; *Nicoll vs. Ogden*, p. 323; *American Express Co. vs. Pinckney*, p. 392. From the cursory examination we have been able to give it, the volume seems to us a very valuable one.

I. F. R.

A TREATISE ON THE LIMITATION OF ACTIONS AT LAW AND SUITS IN EQUITY AND ADMIRALTY; with an Appendix containing the English and American Statutes of Limitations. By J. K. ANGELL. Fourth Edition, Revised and greatly Enlarged. By JOHN WILDER MAY, Counsellor at Law. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. 1861.

We venture to call attention to Mr. May's edition of Mr. Angell's excellent work on Limitations. Mr. Angell was one of the most accurate and reliable of the American law writers, and this is one of his most carefully prepared works; and Mr. May seems to have faithfully performed the office of a careful editor, in bringing the authorities upon the several questions discussed down to the time of publication. It is a book which all practical lawyers will find of indispensable use. We have heard a tradition, which we regard as authentic, that Lord Brougham, in a letter addressed to the author, not many weeks before his death, pronounced this the most complete and able treatise upon the subject which the bar of England and America has yet produced. We are sure no one at all familiar with the work would be inclined to attribute this opinion to any of his lordship's peculiar idiosyncrasies upon the law. We should certainly regard this opinion as entirely normal, whatever we might feel compelled to say of some of his lordship's speculations upon the law.

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A TREATISE ON THE LAW OF SALES OF PERSONAL PROPERTY, WITH ILLUSTRATIONS FROM THE FOREIGN LAW. By WILLIAM W. STORY. Third Edition, with large Additions to the Text and Notes. By J. C. PERKINS. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. 1862.

This edition of Mr. Story's valuable treatise upon the Law of Sales, seems to have been prepared with Mr. Perkins's usual painstaking and laborious research. Few cases of much value have escaped his careful scrutiny, and we believe the work is by far the most perfect upon the subject now in use. We commend it to the favorable consideration of the profession. It is scarcely needful to add, that the mechanical execution of the book is all that one could desire.

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